Hull Names Eight To Serve as Advisers At Havana Parley

Hope Prevails for Accord To Avert Anglo-French **Battle at Martinique**

By GARNETT D. HORNER. Experts on American trade, financial, agricultural and legal problems arising from the European war were selected from four Government departments yesterday by Secretary of State Hull to act as his advisers at the emergency Pan-American Conference opening at Havana Satur-

Secretary Hull conferred with his aides throughout the day, giving his full attention to formulation of United States policy toward the numerous questions confronting the conference, the second special meeting of foreign ministers of the American republics occasioned by

Meanwhile, hope prevailed in authoritative diplomatic quarters that a definite agreement designed to avert any trouble-making "incident" concerning the French West Indian island of Martinique may be reached by the British and French governments this week.

Tense Situation Created. Presence of British warships in the vicinity of Martinique, reportedly determined to prevent any action that would deliver French war vessels and a consignment of American-made airplanes there into German hands, has created a tense situation. Any battle between the French and British vessels in the area, which is well within the Pan-American neutrality zone, would seriously concern the American re-

Secretary Hull is understood to have taken a hand in efforts to effect a settlement between the British and French that would neutralize the area. The settlement was reported yesterday to hinge on reply of the French government to proposals submitted earlier last week, with the reply delayed by slow communications between Washington and France.

A proposal for an international commission to supervise the carrying out of guarantees that the French warships at Martinique will play no further part in the war was reported under consideration. Chief difficulty in the negotiations was expected to be British insistence on delivery to them of the American airplane shipment held up at the island, based on contention that the 100 or more planes involved were included in an arrangement under which Britain took over all French orders for war equipment in this

Quentin, French Ambassador, called noon press conference. on Undersecretary of State Sumner Welles yesterday, but declined to campaign with whom I have been disclose whether they had dis-cussed the Martinique situation. The Willkie," Mrs. Simms asserted. French Ambassador told reporters. French Ambassador told reporters. Mrs. Simms said she would be however, that he was convinced "just as active as I can" in making h warships at Martinique would remain there peaceably.

Unless the conflict of British and French interests at Martinique is settled promptly, it might create an enusually urgent problem for the Havana conference, which is sched-uled to consider long-range policy for joint action to prevent any transfer of territory in the Western Hemisphere from one non-American power to another.

The conference also will consider measures for increased inter-Amer- for him. ican economic unity and co-operation to combat "fifth column" activities, as well as possible revision of the strict neutrality standards ranch. adopted at a similar meeting in Panama last fall, soon after the war

Secretary Hull's selection of his advisers for the Havana meeting emphasized the attention it is expected to give to economic problems resulting from the wartime virtual loss of European markets lot of Texans moving into New for American products.

Berle Heads Groun Assistant Secretary of State A. A. Berle, jr., heads the group of eight advisers, representing the State. Treasury, Commerce and Agricul- they would vote for Mr. Willkie." ture Departments. The party is scheduled to leave here by train Thursday afternoon for Miami Fla., going from there to Havana either by plane or boat.

Besides Mr. Berle, the group includes William Dawson, American Ambassador to Panama; Green H. Hackworth, State Department legal adviser; Leo Pasvolsky, Special Assistant to the Secretary of State; Laurence Duggan, chief of the Diviion of American Republics; Harry D. White, Treasury Department director of monetary research; Gros- national defense.' venor M. Jones, assistant director of the Bureau of Foreign and Do- Mr. Brooks' statement. mestic Commerce, and Leslie A. Wheeler, director of the Agriculture cussed campaign strategy in a tele-Department's Office of Foreign Agri- phone conversation with Represencultural Relations.

Mr. Berle and Mr. Pasvolsky have given special attention recently to development of a program outlined by President Roosevelt for an inter-American trading corporation to handle all of the exportable surpluses of the Americas in an effort to prevent German penetration through barter deals. The socalled cartel program is expected to be considered at Havana, along with other measures for economic co-operation.

Training Bill Indorsed By Michigan Educators

By the Associated Press. LANSING. Mich., July 13.-The Michigan Education Association, representing 34,000 teachers, today advocated military training in schools.

The board of directors passed a resolution favoring training of the R. O. T. C. type because "present circumstances in the world today make it imperative that the Nation

Force Now Considerable, Gen. de Gaulle Reports

By the Associated Press. LONDON, July 13.—Gen. Charles de Gaulle, whom Britain recognizes as "the leader of free Frenchmen," said tonight in a Bastille Day eve broadcast: "I am able to declare that there exists already under my command a considerable military force, ready to fight at any moment on land, in the skies and

France, he said, one day would



COLORADO SPRINGS, COLO.—WILLKIE RELISHES SWIM— Vacationing in Colorado, Wendell L. Willkie, who learned to swim in the "ole swimming hole" at Elwood, Ind., takes a daily morning plunge in his hotel pool. And the Republican presidential nominee's big laugh shows he likes it.-A. P. Wirephoto.

Platform

(Continued From First Page.)

next morning," Mr. Maverick said-

and the crowded hearing room broke

"If the Democrats don't take the

"If they take it and lose, let the

demagogues and the Fascists behind

Wendell Willkie have what's left."

Power Issue Stressed.

the committee hear unfriendly

Monroe Sweetland, curly-haired

of the Oregon Commonwealth Fede-

nominee heads a fifth column effort

to buy their way into the White

marked in amplification, during an

appeal to the platform makers to

include a strong plank on behalf of

public power development and dis-

chief issue of the campaign," he

publicans don't want it to be."

"We should make public power the

speaking qualified approval of his

a "personified apology for the power

Mrs. Miller a Politician.

trust candidacy of Mr. Willkie."

ights for women amendment.

be changed by amending the Con-

non-intervention and of limited pre-

paredness effort were asked by Carl

Landis of the Fellowship of Recon-

glasses of ice water, he pleaded with

the committee members to "let me

Throughout the more serious tes-

timony of those wary of "total de-

was carried principally by Secre-

tary of Agriculture Wallace and

Senator Pepper of Florida, with

occasional aid from Representative

Carpenter of Kansas and Roy V.

Harris, speaker of the Georgia

Despite their relative weight, poli-

monopolize the day's testimony. In-

Chairman Randolph of the House

District Committee urged a clear-

cut declaration in support of na-

tional representation and suffrage

Virginian to contact committee

members individually and to sub-

Merit System Extension Urged.

Luther C. Steward of the National

Federation of Federal Employes

urged support for extension of the

merit system in Government em-

ployment and for passage of the

Ramspeck bill now pending in the

Henry Johnson of the National

legro Congress asked indorsement

of the Federal anti-lynching bill

with provision for cloture in Senate

consideration of the measure if nec-

essary. Mr. Johnson likewise urged

a plank supporting a Federal anti-

Several spokesmen for agriculture

poll tax bill.

mit a draft of a proposed plank.

House of Representatives.

cluded were the following:

the administration banner

finish while I'm in the mood."

of the Methodist Church.

and

mongers."

lead in this situation they won't

win," the Texan concluded.

words about Mr. Willkie.

Mrs. Simms, Backer Of Dewey, Promises To Aid Willkie

Enthusiastic Support For Nominee Reported By Brooks and Lyons

By the Associated Press.

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., July 13.—Mrs. Ruth Hanna Mc-Cormick Simms, one of the chief backers of Thomas E. Dewey for the Republican presidential nomination, said today she would work actively for the election of Wendell L.

Mrs. Simms, who drove here from Lothian and St. Quentin See Welles. her big Trinchera ranch, in South-Both Lord Lothian, British Am- ern Colorado and New Mexico, sat bassador, and Count Rene de St. next to Mr. Wilkie at his after-"Those members of Mr. Dewey's

speeches and writing letters in Mr. Willkie's behalf.

Also present at the press conference were C. Wayland Brooks, Republican senatorial candidate in Illinois, and Richard J. Lyons, former Illinois contender for the Senate. Both said they had talked with rank-and-file citizens since Mr. Willkie's nomination and that they had found "enthusiastic support

Mrs. Simms invited Mr. Willkie to her ranch. He replied that he had always wanted to see a large

She told reporters the Republican outlook "is extremely favorable." Her home State of Illinois, Mrs Simms said, "will make a fight but I think we'll win.

"There is one thing I would like to volunteer. There have been a Mexico, and that has given the Democrats hope in New Mexico. I talked recently to four of the mosprominent Democrats in the State and they whispered in my ear that

Mr. Brooks said, "This campaign is not going to be drawn on strictly Republican or Democratic lines. "It will be fought out on the issue of whether the Nation wants to approve the already manifest New Deal ideas, with power concentrated in the hands of a few men, or wnether the Nation wants an adequate mechanized armed defense and a strong national economy sufficient to produce and maintain that

Mr. Willkie said he agreed with

The Republican candidate distative Martin, Republican, of Massachusetts, House minority leader and new chairman of the Republican National Committee.

Calvo Sotelo Mourned By Nationalist Spain

By the Associated Press. MADRID, July 13.-Nationalist Spain mourned today the man it regards as a martyr to its cause, Jose Calvo Sotelo.

This monarchist leader was shot for the District. After his appear to death four years ago today by ance, Chairman Wagner of the men dressed in the uniform of Re- Platform Committee asked the West publican assault guards and his death touched off, somewhat prematurely, the Nationalist revolution which finally overthrew the republic. To Republicans, Calvo Sotelo

Spain's newspapers today said of him: "His blood fired the courage of Spaniards and set in motior the uprising which culminated in regeneration of the fatherland."

be prepared to meet any eventual- Daniels Flies to Attend **Democratic Convention**

By the Associated Press. MEXICO CITY, July 13.—United States Ambassador Josephus Daniels left by plane today for Chicago and the Democratic National Convention, where he will vote with the Roosevelt-instructed North Carolina delegation.

"I think Mr. Roosevelt will be nominated practically without opposition," the envoy said before his

Mr. Daniels will preside next Wednesday at an old-timers' breakfast court hearings before revocation or honoring William Jennings Bryan, denial of licenses and to prohibit empire, they (the government) are The Junior Star. for her disaster and her bondage." dency at Chicago 44 years ago. | content.

Fleming Gives Plans For Constant Wage Within Law's Limits

'Time Off' Method Or 'Prepayment' Will **Offset Fluctuations**

By using either the "time off" or "prepayment" method, employers may maintain a "constant wage" and still comply with the requirements of the Fair Labor Standards Act, Col. Philip B. Fleming, administrator of the Wage and Hour Division, announced yesterday. Many employers have informed the division it is undesirable to pay workers in industries with seasonal fluctuations a big wage during peak weeks and then allow this to dwindle to a few dollars in the slack season.

Legislation was introduced in Congress last year to permit several constant wage plans to be written into the act. Although Congress failed to act, Administrator Fleming pointed out that there are two methods, under the law, which can be used to maintain a more or less constant wage.

Under the Fair Labor Standards Act employes whose work involves the production of goods moving in interstate commerce must be paid a minimum wage of 30 cents an hour, with compensation at one and a half their regular rate of pay for all hours worked in excess of 42 in any single week. Averaging of hours from one week to another is not permissible; a single week remains the yardstick for calculating compensation due. Nor can pay for overtime be withheld by the employer past the pay day covering the work week, or work weeks, in which the overtime was

"Time Off" Plan Outlined. "Still observing these provisions, t is possible in many cases for an employer to give his workers the benefit of constant wages," Col. Fleming said. "One method that would come within the present law may be called the 'time off' plan. The second method calls for 'prepayment' of overtime wages." "Using the 'time off' method, an

employer may so control working hours in his plant that even with Not alone from Mr. Maverick did overtime compensation figured at the time-and-a-half rate, pay checks will not exceed a stated amount. For example, where an employer wishes to set an employe's and very earnest young spokesman pay at a \$42 limit for a two-week period and that same employe puts ration, warned that the Republican in overtime in the first week enough to make that week's pay total more by which the utility interests hope than \$21, the employer may cut the second week's working hours enough to keep the employe's wage "They've rigged up this Trojan elephant for the charge," he refor the whole period at \$42.

Prepayment Solves Problem. "This does not mean, of course that an employe cannot work as much overtime as may be required. There is nothing in any part of the wage and hour law prohibiting overtime or setting any arbitrary urged, "especially because the Re- limit on hours that may legally be worked so long as the required timeand-a-nail is paid fellow Oregonian, Senator McNary, plan can only be used with biweekly, semimonthly or monthly Republican vice presidential nominee, the witness described him as pay periods.

"Under the 'prepayment' system the employe is paid a little more each payday than he actually has There were others on the list who earned." Col. Fleming said. "The also contributed a spark to the day's advance payments build up a reproceedings, among them Mrs. 'overtime' due. For in-Emma Guffey Miller, sister of stance, the employe's regular hourly rate may total but \$19.50 for an Pennsylvania's Democratic Senator. Pertly, Mrs. Miller served notice average week's work. The employ on her listeners that "it is politicians | er, however, pays him \$21, or \$1.50 more than required. Perhaps the like myself who put you statesmen in Effectively, then, she ar- employe will work for three weeks gued for inclusion in the platform on this basis, thus actually reof an indorsement of the equal ceiving an advance of \$4.50 on work not yet performed. And then comes Later, however, the League of Women Voters presented a voice the employe must work are charged off at time-and-a-half the regular against the amendment, with a reminder that "human nature cannot rate, against the \$4.50."

In varying degrees, assurances of Clipper at Honolulu On Way to New Zealand

ciliation, by the Rev. Russell Whar-HONOLULU, July 13.—The Amerton Lambort of the Keep America Out of War Congress, by Joseph ican Clipper, establishing the first Cadden of the American Youth commercial air service between the Congress and by Charles F. Boss United States and New Zealand of the Commission on World Peace alighted in the harbor here at 8:22 a.m. today. The big plane left Los An added starter among these was Angeles at 7:35 p.m., E. S. T., last John Prock, a little man with a night.

green-checked shirt, red tie and Carrying 27 non-paying passentweedy suit, whose only label on gers, a crew of 10 and a load of the list of committee witnesses was mail and express, the 42-ton fourthat he favored "peace." To get it, motored flying boat averaged 151

he proposed we "annex Canada" miles an hour. "muzzle all domestic war-The Pan-American Airways' ship will take off at 6 a.m. tomorrow for Consenting to be interrupted only Canton Island. for the purpose of drinking two

After an overnight stop at the tiny mid-Pacific atoll, the Clipper's 50-hour schedule calls for a stop at Noumea, New Caledonia. Then it will continue on to Auckland, bringing the United States two weeks nearer the lands "down under." Normal steamer time is 17 days.

Babcock Aircraft Corp. **Buys Engine Plant**

tics and defense did not completely By the Associated Press. DELAND, Fla., July 13.—The Babcock Aircraft Corp. has purchased all assets of Rover Aircraft Motors of Dayton, Ohio, and will start production of airplane engines at the local plant about August 15.

Fred L. Foster, Babcock president, said the Rover plant was valued at \$185,000 and that the sale involved all engineering data, master drawings, tools, machinery and a large stock of unfinished engines and

"The real bottleneck of the aircraft industry, as every one knows, is the engine situation," Mr. Foster said in announcing the purchase. "Wishing to relieve ourselves of any delay in delivery of Babcock planes, we decided our best protection was to purchase the entire plant and manufacture our own

Britain Rejects Gandhi's Non-Violent War Plan

appeared to pay tribute to the New WARDHA, India, July 13.—Britain Deal-Democratic record on behalf of the farmer, and to ask that its has rejected Mohandas K. Gandhi's improvement be attempted by one suggestion that the principle of nonor more platform planks next week. violent resistance be applied to Ger-Neville Miller, president of the many, the Mahatma disclosed today. National Association of Broadcast-He made public a letter from the ers, appeared to ask a plank supviceroy, the Marquess of Linlithgow, porting legislation to extend broadsaying the British government felt cast licenses to five years, to assure such a policy couldn't be considered "since, in common with the whole Kennel news. Government censorship of program | firmly resolved to prosecute the war | Service orders. to a victorious conclusion."

Wife of Bergdoll **Receives \$307,289** From Government

80 Per Cent of Property Of Draft Evader Released by U. S.

Mrs. Berta Bergdoll, German wife of Grover Cleveland Bergdoll, Phil-adelphia draft dodger, yesterday received 80 per cent of the property of her husband which was seized during the World War and held by the Government.

The refund, which totaled \$307,-289.54 was made to Mrs. Bergdoll in her capacity as attorney in fact for her husband. It consisted of \$249,934 in real estate and securities, and \$57,355.54 in a United States Treasury check.

Won Right in Court.

Return of 80 per cent of the Bergdoll property had been ordered by the Attorney General on October 27, 1939. This order was upheld by Justice Jennings Bailey in District Court on July 11, 1940 in a suit brought by Bergdoll against the Attorney General and the Treasurer of the United States for return of

100 per cent of the property held. When the Philadelphian fled this country two decades ago to escape service in the American Army, the Alien Property Custodian seized his property. Since the abolition of the custodian's office in 1934 the estate had been administered by the Attorney General. The seized property was valued at approximately \$535,-

The 80 per cent refund to Mrs. Bergdoll was based on the amount left after the Government deducted about \$200,000 for the Army prisoner's income taxes. The remaining 20 per cent, or about \$25,000, will be held subject to deposit in the German special account in the Treasury to pay American citizens who have valid claims against Germany, arising out of the World War. These claims are determined by the Mixed Claims Commission.

Bergdoll returned to this country in May, 1929, to surrender himself to the Army authorities and serve the jail sentence which he evaded on his escape. He is now serving a seven and one-half-year sentence at Governors Island, N. Y.

Since his return, members of the Bergdoll family, including his mother, brought various suits for recovery of the draft dodger's property and amounts alleged to be owing to them. The German woman who married Bergdoll lives with their six children in Downingtown, Pa., waiting for the day when he will

Readers' Guide **News Summary** The Sunday Star, July 14, 1946.

Main News Section.

"Only beginning to fight," British on river cruise. British claim. Malta rubbed out as offensive threat, Italians declare.

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gas tax increase. Financial Construction activity leads Stock market near stand-Weekly stock summary. Page B-12 and murderous onslaughts of care-Nees to direct over-the-counter

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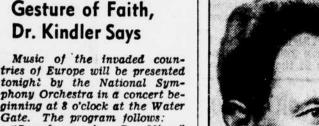
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ginning at 8 o'clock at the Water Gate. The program follows: "Symphony in D Minor" (Franck), two 16th Century Dutch Songs, "Peer Gynt Suite" (Grieg), "Baroarolle" (Mendelssohn), "Spinning Song" (Mendelssohn), "Spinni delssohn), "Polonaise" (Chopin), "Slavonic Dance No. 10" (Dvorak), "Finlandia" (Sibelius).

Hendrik Willem van loon, the noted author and a cousin of Dr. Hans Kindler, the conductor, will appear as commentator. Dr. Kindler has written the following in explanation of tonight's program:

By DR. HANS KINDLER. This concert is a gesture a small and possibly a futile gesture—on the part of a musician and all Americanborn in the now temporarily enslaved country of Holland. The program of this concert is the natural outcome of a sense of sorrow and indignation at the incredibly foul tactics of deceit and treachery, of broken promises and ruthless in-

vasion, followed by mass bombing the exact details, but which we Americans of Dutch birth and descent have privately learned since the arrival of Dutch refugees in Navy chief tells U. S. Page A-1 this country—details of a kind Political counselor with President infinitely more bloody and extensive Page A-1 and murderous and harrowing then Six planes felled in straits fight, those of the invasion of Poland even. For over eight weeks the Germans

have tried to keep these nauseating Page A-1 details from leaking through. They Britain challenged successfully on have locked the doors of cummuni sea, Germany claims. Page A-2 cation. Letters were not permitted to leave. Cablegrams were not allowed to be sent. Inquiries remained unanswered. The newspapers, therefore, have not been able to get at the truth.

before the Germans sent their bombers over Rotterdam and The Every Berlin newspaper came out at the same moment with these or similar headlines.

Treacherous Onslaught. The very next night the Dutch citizens of Rotterdam, lulled into temporary tranquillity and hope that the horrors of war might yet pass them by, relaxing their vigilance after weeks and months of strain, were roused and surprised, and then attacked, annihilated and driven mad by one of the most treacherous fully prepared savagery the world Page B-11 has ever known.

At 3 in the morning 200 bombing planes swarmed over the frontier. Less than half an hour later Page B-13 they had covered the short distance to Rotterdam. The citizens of this open city of 400,000 inhabitants stumbled out of their beds, and in Travel and resorts. Pages B-6-7-8 their surprise and terror ran onto the streets.

Whereupon, the "brave" Nazis carefully circled three times over the city, each time dropping their loads of hundreds of bombs. The subsequent attacks, the attempts to capture the Queen and her daughter and grandchildren, as well as the cabinet, the 15,000 parachutists descending on The Hague, the use of Dutch uniforms, of ehildren held in front of the "conquering" troops, of all kinds of treachery, would be unbelievable were they not carefully substantiated by the Dutch, known as a sober and reasonable and truth-

Music Already "Verboten." There may be even now certain crynics who will try to defend these tactics. But if the human race is to continue in this direction of degenerate amorality, life for those who believe in eventual evolution is not worth the living. Certainly we here in America, who have faith in the future of a free mankind, cankind of callous, unprincipled, and treacherous brutality. Our every feeling of the simplest and most elemental decency is outraged. And it is this sense of outraged decency which makes us grope for every weapon and for every expression Page E-5 of indignation. As I have said, the program of

this concert in a small way is one such expression. It consists of music, of typical music by compos-Pages F-1-2-3 ers, by creative artists, of the in-Page F-4 vaded countries, as well as by some Page F-4 whose music already has been "ver-Pages F-5-6 boten." The Dutch songs of the Page F-7 16th century, for instance, as well F-8 as the tone poem "Finlandia," and F-8 of course the music of Mendelsson F-8 have been and will no doubt again

Page F-8 The flaming message of refuse Page F-9 to submit to oppression, for instance, Page F-10 is expressed in the song "See the Page F-10 is expressed in the song "See the October _______ 2.84 8.81 37 Tamps. Fig. ______ 55 77 81 Page F-10 Cursed Oppressor," written in 1600 December ______ 3.32 7.56 01 WASHINGTON, D. C. 78 60 71 0.36



DR. HANS KINDLER.

when the Dutch refused to bow under the powerful yoke of the Spanish. It was and has remained a song of defiance against oppression. As yet the government of the Netherlands, enthusiastically backed by its navy, its faithful citizens in Holland and abroad, and last but not least by its 60,000,000 Javanese. who unanimously have declared their fealty to the little country and its have refused to consider themselves vanquished and have officially declared and maintained the Netherlands as at war with Germany. I firmly believe that this obstinate refusal to recognize the foulest tvranny the world has ever known One fire was burning strongly in

did in the 17th century As it is, the spiritual liberty of a nation, no matter how small, can Hundreds of men battling the blazes never be conquered. And the program of tonight is one of spiritual victory throughout, from the devout and mystic groping toward the light Occoquan Guard Hurt by the French-Flemish Cesar Franck to the direct patriotic message of the struggle for liberty in Finland by Sibelius. My cousin, Hendrik Willem van Loon, the author, will comment tonight on the significance of the different works to be per-

A Gesture of Faith.

in liberty. We can still say so without the feel of a bayonet in our backs. We can still read books and listen to music and the radio withplanes and airliners overhead without having the sickening sense of fear of sirens screaming and bombs crashing. We live in peace, and we This concert, then, as I said be- existence.

Lightning Touches Off Hundreds of Fires in Northwest Forests

Parachutists Dropped To Aid C. C. C. and Volunteer Fighters

MISSOULA, Mont., July 13.-Hundreds of fires, touched off by rainless electrical storms, blazed in the tinder-like forests of three States tonight despite efforts of thousands of hastily mobilized fire fighters—some of whom parachuted to the fire lines.

At least 700 blazes, some already

covering more than 500 acres each, were reported over a 200-mile front from north of Spokane, Wash., to Glacier National Park in Montana. Newly-trained Forest Service parachutists were used for the first ime. But the fire fighters dropped from planes were too few to cope with far-flung outbreaks.

Thousands of Civilian Conservaion Corps enrollees and volunteers from cities and towns were sumnoned.

Special Train Rushes Crew. Spokane dispatched a special train carrying 300 men to the Kootenai National Forest east of Libby, in Northwestern Montana.

Additional crews were being enlisted for other hard-hit sections as supervisors reported the fires were "increasing continually."

At Spokane, Cliff Hunter, Forest Service procurement officer, said the lightning scored a "100 per cent hit" in the forests and added: "Things are happening so fast it's

impossible to grasp the magnitude of the situation. Coupled with the extremely critical condition of the forests is the prospect of a shortage of fire fighters. Few men are available outside the C. C. C. and blister rust camps because of the harvest demands."

Many of the fires were called thick but not out of hand."

30 Fires in Glacier Park. Thirty small fires broke out in Glacier National Park this afternoon. From 75 to 100 blazes were reported in the Flathead National Forest directly south of the Glacier National Park. One blazed out of control over a 500-acre section during the afternoon. Worst blaze reported in Northern

Forest. This forest had 30 new fires this morning. Reports of additional fires in the Kootenai Forest caused Spokane to enlist a crew of 150 to supplement the special train sent

Idaho was a 300-acre fire near Syl-

vanite, in the Kahiksu National

earlier to Libby. Spokane also made up a crew of 200 for two fires in the Kaniksu Forest of Northern Idaho, northeast of Bonners Ferry.

7,000 Acres Burned Over Near San Diego, Calif.

By the Associated Press. SAN DIEGO, Calif., July 13 .on two main fronts in San Diego County today after blackening approximately 7,000 acres.

The little town of Campo in the southeastern part of the county. menaced last night, apparently was no longer in the path of the flames. will result in regained liberty, as it the vicinity of Harbison Canyon, east of El Cajon. Many resort cabins are clustered in the canyon. saw little hope of checking them.

When Struck by Auto

Eugene Bryant, 68, a guard at the District of Columbia Workhouse at Occoquan, Va., was admitted to the Alexandria Hospital yesterday for treatment of injuries suffered when he was struck by an automobile while crossing U. S. Route 1 at Americans, like the Dutch, believe | Woodbridge, Va. Hospital attaches said his arm was broken and he was

cut about the face. State police said the driver of the car gave his name as Frank Malinout being put in concentration sky, 26, of Norfolk, Va. He was recamps. We can still watch the leased on personal recogniance pending the outcome of Mr. Bryant's injuries.

fore, is a gesture—a gesture of know compassion; and we want our faith-and of conviction-a convicchildren to live in peace and to tion and a principle for which our know compassion. But we must be ancestors were rightly willing to lay ready to defend these ideals if life, down their lives. For a world in such as we know and want it, is which we are not willing to fight for our convictions is not worth its

Weather Report

District of Columbia-Fair and slightly warmer today and tomorrow, gentle northeast and east winds becoming southerly tomorrow. Maryland and Virginia-Fair and slightly warmer today and to-

West Virginia-Fair a: 1 slightly warmer today; tomorrow increasng cloudiness and warmer, Tuesday showers.

weather Conditions Last 24 Hours.

A disturbance is moving east-southeast-ward over the Northern Rocky Mountain region, the Dakotas and the Northern Plains States. Williston. North Dakota, 1.005.8 millibars (29.70 inches), and pressure remains relatively low from Louisians eastward to the Georgia coast and thence northeastward over the ocean, a ship about 300 miles east of Cape Hatteras, 1.015.9 millibars (30.00 inches). High pressure prevails along the North Pacific coast and over most of the eastern half of the United States and the Western Atlantic Ocean. Toledo, Ohio, and Tatoosh Island, Washington, 1.025.1 millibars (30.27 inches). and a ship, about 700 miles southeast of Newfoundiand, 1.028.1 millibars (30.36 inches). Rain has fallen in the Middle Atlantic States, the Carolinas and the Southern Appalachian region, and showers have occurred in portions of Florida. Georgia and the Gulf States. The weather has become cooler in the South Atlantic States, the north-portion of the Gulf States, the north-portion of the Rocky Mountains eastward to New England. Abnormally high maxima occurred this afternoon in the Rocky Mountains estward to New England. Abnormally high maxima occurred this afternoon in the Rocky Mountains estward to New England. Abnormally high maxima occurred this afternoon in the Rocky Mountains estward to New England. Abnormally high maxima occurred this afternoon in the Rocky Mountains estward to New England. Abnormally high maxima occurred this afternoon in the Rocky Mountains estward to New England. Abnormally high maxima occurred to the Rocky Mountains estward to New England. Abnormally high maxima occurred to the Rocky Mountains. (Furnished by United States Coast and Geodetic Survey.) Weather in Various Cities Report Until 10 P.M. Saturday: Record Until 10 P.M. Saturday. lighest, 76, 5 p.m. Yesterday year ago, 88 owest. 60, 4 a.m. Yesterday year ago, 71 Record Temperatures This Year.
Highest, 94. on July 11.
Lowest, 7. on January 29.
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